

for communicating output control signals from said electronic circuitry to a computer, a plurality of finger depressible buttons exposed on said housing and interfacing with sensors electrically connected with said electronic circuitry for allowing user selection of output control signals communicated to a computer;

wherein the improvement comprises:

at least one of said buttons being a back button, whereby depression of said back button causes communication of a back control signal to network browsing software initiating said software to display a previously viewed address.

19. An improved computer mouse according to claim 18 further including at least one of said buttons being a forward button, whereby depression of said forward button causes communication of a forward control signal to network browsing software.

20. An improved method of using a computer mouse, said mouse having cursor control means for describing a cursor position on a display, and user activatable buttons,

wherein the improved use of said computer mouse includes the step of activating one of the buttons to send a back signal, regardless of the cursor position on the display, to network navigating software for displaying a previously visited address.

21. An improved method of using a computer mouse according to claim 20 further including a step of activating one of the buttons to send a forward signal, regardless of the cursor position on the display, to network navigating software.

22. An improved method of browsing or navigating a network using a computer mouse, said mouse having cursor control means for describing a cursor position on a display, and user